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File No. 10-91

Serial Nos.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos.

Major Part B for January 1897

SUBJECT.

~~Proposal to~~ Appointment of Swamidas Pillay, Ochoi Superintendent, ~~to be~~ as Collector of Municipal taxes

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Memo

In a notification dated 19th May 1871 vide 2300. Sawmi dass Pillai was appointed assessor and Collector of municipal taxes. He held the appointment till 1884, when an increase of Rupees 15 was proposed to be ~~allowed~~ given to him, it was remarked in Para 7 of Govt Proc dated 23rd April 1884 No $\frac{540-42}{36}$ that "the so called assessor, collector and Manager, is not by law, authorized to assess and his designation should be altered to that of Collector and Ex-officio Manager. This individual now holding the appointment

received his promotion
2 years ago Vide the
present condition of the
finances of the Municipality
does not allow of any of
its officers receiving
periodical increment though
continuing in the same
appointment."

(2) The appointment of
Collector and Manager
was held by Sammidoss
Pillai till July 1892, when
he was made Actor
Manager, & ~~afterwards~~
designated Actor Superintendent, with
~~and~~ a house allowance
of Rs 15 ~~was granted~~
~~to him~~, Guru Row,
~~The~~ ~~Dr~~
who was then Actor
Manager

Manager having been
made the offici
Manager & to ~~to~~ assist
the then existing City
Amildar in collection
& account work.

(3) The President
Circ. No. 8 now proposes to make
Saivandoss Pillai, Collector
of municipal taxes, in
addition to his duties
as Octroi Superintendent -
as a temporary measure
This proposal, if sanctioned,
may, I beg to submit,
be followed by a
proposal to grant an
extra allowance for the
additional work. Irrespective
of the financial aspect of

the question it is
matter for consideration
whether the duties of the
Detroit Superintendent with
his out-door work and
expectations of the enlarge-
ment of the sphere of
Detroit taxation in the
immediate future, may
be ~~incorporated~~ tagged (Clerk)
on to those of the Collector
of taxes In their Pro
dated 6 Oct 1891 clo 7657.70 / 2623,
I point ~~suggested~~ considered
it undesirable to one
and the same individual
holding more than one
appointment.

Submitted

GMJ 22/4/95

read on the letter Office Regt

Done

23/4

Pres c/o 18.5.80 / 45 92 dy 29/4/95

Thereupon the Govt observed that the constant revision of establishments and changes of duties were undesirable The President was requested to state whether there was any standing committee of the Board to consider these and similar questions relating to establishments & and if not it would be desirable to suggest to the Board the appointment of such a committee with a view to proper investigation being made and proposals submitted for a general revision of establishments so as to promote efficiency without however incurring extra cost

C to reply has been received to the above communication up to date the Board propose employment of

individual as an Octroi
Manager on Rs 50 + 15- the
present Octroi Superintendent
being relieved of Octroi duties
and placed exclusively in
charge of assessment Depart-
ments

The present communication
shows that the proposal,
which the Govt declined to
sanction, was put into operation
and thereby both Octroi and
Assessment Departments are
now under one and the same
official

Before Sanmukhoo Pillai
was transferred to Octroi Dept
he was both Office and Manager
and ex-officio Collector of taxes on Rs 101
and Tyrum Row was Octroi
Manager on Rs 70 per mensem.
As an official of equal posts
to that of Octroi Supt was
considered necessary for the
collection of Octroi in the

Saraswati Pillai was transfer to the Octroi Department with change of designation as Octroi Superintendent with a house allowance of Rs 15 per mensem the then Octroi Manager on Rs 70 has been transferred as Office Manager to look after Office work and to assist the Vice President in the collection work. It is a matter for consideration whether now Octroi Manager with a small pay viz Rs 50 could be considered as an officer of standing and position equal to that of the Octroi Superintendent of the State.

Submitted for order

Sd 2/11/

Sd 2/11/

Sealed Rs 1 & 1/-.

In Serial No 8, a proposal was made that Saraswati Pillai be appointed Collector under Section 13 in addition to his duties

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считает возможным
для исполнения
Указа нет весомых причин.
Не имеет права нарушать
Конституцию. Это заявление
Черномырдина. Ельцин
и Конституционный суд
Я считаю что дело -
справедливой оценки
Ельцин должен выступить
по телевидению
перед референдумом
Референдум
должен быть 10 - 11 - 96
Ельцин и Черномырдин
Ельцин не
должен нарушать
Конституцию

Дорогой
друг!
15.11.96

Subject.

The office manager cannot also efficiently attend to collection duties.

Likewise, one man cannot satisfactorily manage both the office and collection duties.

The President cannot give much of his time to this work.

The present seems therefore to be a reasonable one. It may be sanctioned tentatively for 6 months subject to the submission of a report at the end of that period.

6-1-97

Approved
6-1-97

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The President C. 280
City Municipal Comm.

The Chief Secretary
to the Govt. of Mysore

Dated March 1895

Depd

No 89

Proposing to appoint
Mr. Swamii Dass Pillay
Octroi Superintendent
to be Collector without
prejudice to his duties
as Octroi Superintendent
until further orders.

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To the 1st Councillor.

It is proposed to re-impose on Swamii Dass Pillai the collection duties, plus those of the octroi. If he has time, energy and capacity for both work, there is nothing to prevent the President from utilizing him in that manner, without however calling him "Collector". Hitherto formally assessor; then the Octroi Manager, & now he is in charge of the octroi.
2 The octroi is soon to be enlarged, and will require considerable time & energy.
If the Octroi is inefficient, the Govt. has the power to recommend its improvement by the retirement or other means of the inefficient and superannuated.
It does not therefore appear advisable to sanction the proposal, although the P. B. may use the services of the Octroi Manager in collections, as per para 1 above.
23-4-95

Constant revision of Estt & charges of duties are undesirable. If there any Municipal Comm of the P^s to consider these questions relating to Estt? Govt suggest the joint of members of Comm with a view to proper enquiry is made, and a report sent early possible for revision of Estt so as to prevent delay
28/4

City Municipal Office
Bangalore 2d March 95

No 89.

From

The President-
City Munpl. Commission

To

The Chief Secretary
to the Government of Mysore.

Sir

I have the honor to request the Government to appoint Swami Dass Pilley, Octroi Superintendent to be Collector under Section 13 of the Municipal Regulations without prejudice to his duties as Octroi Superintendent until further orders.

2 The Vice President who is expected to attend to the details of the Collection Department has his

time more than fully occupied by other duties which I shall describe below and if he is left without assistance all branches of work must necessarily seriously suffer in consequence.

3 My experience of subordinates in the District generally and in the City Municipality in particular has convinced me that these Officials seldom do their work unless it is closely and constantly supervised. Bangalore is a large Head Quarter Station whose Sanitary Conservancy demands great attention It has a large mileage of roads and streets which require similar attention. Disputes between private parties regarding drainage and Conservancy such as need the intervention of the Municipal authorities are numerous in this Municipality. All these

require the Vice President to spend his morning almost every day of the week out in the City.

4 Beside, the assessment of the house and Mohaturfa taxes have not been completed yet and it requires from house to house and from shop to shop inspection.

5 The scarcity of water for drinking and othe domestic purposes is growing day by day, which will tax the energy of the Vice President.

6 Every moment of the working time which the Vice President can spare from the Office work he will have to devote to the out door work described above. In the Office the Vice President has to contend against an extremely inefficient establishment which is a legacy of past years

and which cannot without vacancy
be sufficiently improved. Not
only has correspondence with the
Government and with the officers
of the Government increased of
late years but the demands of
the Commissioners for information
has also imposed a new item of
work. The new system of audit
by the Comptroller has seriously
increased work in the account-
as well as the correspondence —
Department. Petitions have be-
-come numerous without precedent.
I am fully satisfied that this
Office work occupies the Office hours
of the Vice President fully.

The Vice President as Secretary
to the City Improvement Committee
has a considerable work thrown
on him.

Messrs Srinivasa Charlu, Raghava
Charlu and Pullanna Chetty were

L.K.

like M. Srinivasa Rao the present Vice President full time Vice Pre-
-sident but they had the assist-
-ance first of a Collector and
latterly of a City Auildar.

10 M. Srinivasa Rao utilised the
spare time of the special officer em-
-ployed lately for the settlement
of compensation whose services
have been now dispensed with.

11 It is thus absolutely necessary
that M. Srinivasa Rao should
be relieved of attention to the de-
-tails of collection such as super-
-vision and check of the work
done by the Shanbogues, the issue
of processes &c which is both
pretty heavy and important.
While reserving the general super-
-vision and responsibility of
M. Srinivasa Rao, I now propose
to transfer the above details

Swami Dass Pillay.

12 This addition of work to Swami Dass Pillay is not calculated to prejudice his duties as Octroi Superintendent which are not at present heavy and which will not be heavy till the scope of the Octroi Revenue shall have been increased as is contemplated.

13 I am making this recommendation as a temporary measure to enable me to see whether after the Vice President shall have completed the revision of the castes, the season of scarcity shall have passed and the Vice President shall have been relieved of his duties as Secretary to the City Improvement Committee he can get on without a Collector or whether when the scope of the Octroi Revenue

shall

shall be enlarged Swami Dass Pillay should be relieved of the additional work proposed to be transferred to him.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obed. Servant

R. Sewell
Pt. Pt.
For President

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18 (9)

Read:—

Letter from the President of Bangalore City Municipal Com

Section Misc. — 1
" No. 18 (9)
Serial No. 7

dated 2nd March 1895, No. 89,

proposing the appointment of

Swami Dass Pillai, Actor

Superintendent, ~~to be~~ as a Collect

under the Regulations, without prejudice to his leg

-islative duties.

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Order thereon No 18580
L.F 45-92

Dated Bangalore 29 April 9

~~It is observed that~~

the constant ~~constant~~ revision of Establis

-ments and changes of duties ar

undesirable. The President is

requested to state whether there

is any standing Committee of the

Board to consider these and similar questions

relating to Establishments &c. and

if not, to suggest the formation

of a Committee with a view to proper

investigation

~~and to report with suggestions~~ submitted

for a general revision of Establish

If the Board the appointment of such a Committee being made, it would be desirable to suggest

and proposals

-ment so as to promote efficiency
without however incurring extra cost. /-

Gen. Serial No. 31.]

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Hon
General Secretary 10-4-95

To

The President of the
Bangalore City Municipal Commrs.

From

(Drafted as per 1st Councillor's orders 23/4)

Dated

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No.
No.

ch 197-92 in regard
Municipal Engineer Vice President-
Dy 26/10

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From

The President,
Municipal Commission,
Bangalore City.

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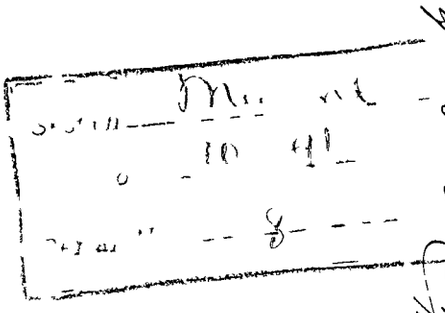

To

The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
General & Rev. Departs

Dated 17th October 1896

Despatched 19th October 1896

Received

Gen No

No 82

Enclosure No one

Submitting for sanction the Resolution of the Board dated 29th September 1896 sanctioning the appointment of a Manager for the Octroi Department on a salary of Rs. 50 p.m. per mensem + 15 Rs horse allowance.

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S D Purushotham Sammadoss
Pellan file & Octroi Supt Dy 24/10

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No. 82
Enclosure

OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
City Bangalore, 17th October 1896

From

The President, Municipal Commission,
Bangalore City.

To

The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
General & Rev: Departments
Bangalore

Sir,

I have the honour to submit for the consideration of Government that the present arrangement according to which two important Departments Viz: Collection and Octroi are placed under one and the same Officer is attended with disadvantages the chief of which is that the work in both the Departments materially suffers. The work in each of the two departments is daily increasing. There is much room for expansion in the Octroi Department and owing to want of a regular and proper supervision I am positive that much of the income from this source is lost. There is a heavy outstanding balance to be collected in the Assessment Department a fact which the Government have been specially noticing in their proceedings

Month

month after month and though
-ally take an interest in verging on
the these collections, the fact that the
head of the branch has to devote part
of his time to Octroi work makes it
difficult to work up to a satisfactory
standard. Several irregularities have
come to my notice in the Octroi Depart
-ment, a separate report about which
will shortly be submitted. The present
dual arrangement cannot safely be
continued any longer with due regard
to public interests and to the financial
prosperity of the Municipality. The
matter was placed before the Board
in the last Meeting and the Commissioners
are unanimously of opinion that
the working of the Octroi Department
should be separated from the Collection
Department and sanctioned the same
as a tentative arrangement for nine
months with effect from the 1st October
'896. The arrangement approved of
by the Commissioners at my suggestion
is that a Manager be appointed for
the Octroi Department on a salary of
Rs. 50/- per mensem + 15 Rs. Horse allow-
ance and that if results are satisfactory,
the arrangement will be confirmed.
I therefore solicit that the Government
may be pleased to accord early sanction

to

to give effect to the Board Resolution

(Copy enclosed for information).

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

T. T. Kennan

PRESIDENT, MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
BANGALORE, CITY.

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Extract from the Proceedings of the Board dated 29th September 1896

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8. Proposal to separate the Octroi from Collection Department and to appoint a Manager for the former.

Resolved that the working of the Octroi Department be separated from the Collection Department as a tentative arrangement for 9 months with effect from 1st October 1896 - and that a Manager be appointed for the Octroi Department on a salary of Rs. 50/- per mensem + 15 Rs horse allowance.

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Sd/ T. T. Leonard
President

"True Extract"

T. T. Leonard
PRESIDENT, MUNICIPAL COY
BANGALORE CITY

M.L.

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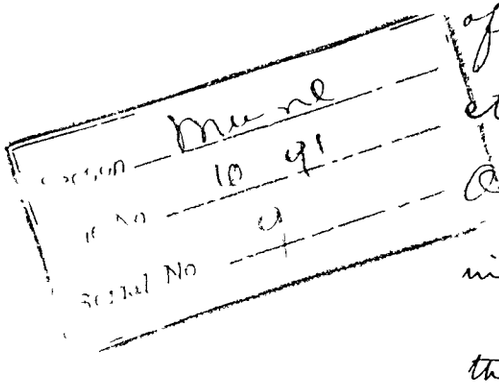
Read :-

Letter c/o 82 dated 17th October 1896 from the Presdt of the Bangalore City municipality stating that Srinivasa Pillai Octroi Superintendent is also in charge of collection Dept that there is much room for expansion in the Octroi Department under a regular and proper supervision, and proposing to appoint a separate individual as Octroi Manager on Rs 50+15- house allowance, from 1st October 1896. ~~the Octroi Dept being placed in charge of the Collection Department only~~



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5499 9/11/96
45-92

Order thereon

Before the issue of final orders on the above reference, the President is requested to explain when and under

what circumstances the
arrangement to place the
Octroi Superintendents in
charge of collection work
also, which was ~~not~~ not-concented to
by Govt in their Pro
cto 18580/2345-92 of 29/4/95. was
given effect to and is now
in force. ~~Government also~~ Govt
~~Requested~~ regret that
their reference of 29th April
1895 has not yet been replied
to ~~up to this~~, though more
than 18 months have
since elapsed, and expect the receipt of
~~a very early reply~~ the report
thereon called for. Meanwhile,
the Head will be requested not to entertain
or assist the proposed new Official in
anticipation of sanction

For Secy 11/96

To
The President.
Bangalore City Mg

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OFFICE OF THE
5241
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RESIDENT IN MYSORE

From The President,
Bangalore City Municipality

To The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore

Dated 18th Genl & Rev. Dept
Bangalore

Despatched

Received December 96

General No.
No. 1444

To the Secretary to the Government of Mysore

Enclosure No.

Submitting the further report called for re appointment of Octroi Managers.

S/16
18/12

Submitted with reference and a copy of the Mysore City Municipal Budget order for 1896 97. In Mysore Octroi collection is looked after by a Darogha and House Tax by a Tahsildar. There is no separate collector for taxes. Formerly when Sammandoss Pillai was office manager he was looking after the duties of both the Manager & Collector

DRJ 23/12

Sd & Secy 24/1

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No. 144.

OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
City Bangalore, 18th December 1896

From

The President, Municipal Commission,
Bangalore City.

To

The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
General & Revenue Department.
Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to Government Proceedings No. 5499/45-92 dated 13th ultimo, I have the honor to state that I find from the previous records that P. Swamii Das Pillay was placed in charge of Collection work by the late M. Shujaet Ali Khan before the issue of Government Proceedings No. 18580/45-92 of 8th April/95 and in fact even before his (M. Shujaet Ali's) letter No. 89 of 2nd March/95 was addressed to Government. On the 15th February/95 a Canarese or-

was issued to P. Swami Das Pillay asking him to attend to Collection work and the proposal was submitted for the sanction of Government on the 2nd March/95 Serial No.

2. With regard to the query whether there is any Standing Committee, I beg to state that there is none in existance There was a shortlived Standing Committee in the year 1893, it did not work well and its continuance was found to retard, rather than expedite, disposal of business, as the Board desired to discuss almost every subject that was disposed of by the Standing Committee. As the majority of the members of the Board were of opinion that the Standing Committee should be abolished it was dissolved in November 93. This fact was noticed in the Administration Report for the Year 1893/94.

to hold that appointment for 21 years till the year 1892 when a City Auditor was appointed with the powers of a Municipal Collector I think he may now be appointed as Collector of Municipal taxes under Section 13 of the Municipal Regulations.

4. I solicit that Government will be pleased to accord early sanction for the appointment of Octroi Manager for reasons urged in my letter No. 82 dated 18th October 1896.

5. Since penning that letter I have become more impressed with the fact that the Municipality is losing a good deal of revenue from Octroi, and the necessity of a manager who can devote his whole time and attention to this important branch of Revenue

is becoming much felt day by day

6. It is probable Government may be under the impression that with my appointment as full-time President, I should be able to manage the Collection Department myself leaving M. Swami Das Pillay to do the work of the Octroi Department & vice versa. I beg to say this is impossible. The work of the President is extremely heavy, both out of door and in office. It is not too much to say that within the past 6 months Municipal work has considerably increased and of this the President bears the major part. Such an arrangement, therefore, as connecting the duties of President with the Collection Department is clearly impracticable and

I trust that Government will view it in this light.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obt. Servant

T. Leonard

PRESIDENT, MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
BANGALORE, CITY.

Inclo.

for one year the request proposal
to appoint Swamidoss
Pillai as Collector of Land
taxes under Sec. 13 of the
Regulations, ~~and to hand~~
a separate Octroi Manager
on Rs 50+15 house allow
ance. ~~with effect from~~

^ the present

^ individual being appointed as

The President is request-
ed to point out the source
in the current year's municipal Budget.
from which the cost can
be met.

8/1/97.

Secretary
7/1/97

11-1-97

To
The President,
Bangalore City Mnk
The Comptroller